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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

It is requested that the enclosed reference(s) listed on the attached Information Disclosure Citation Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Patent Examiner in connection with the above-identified application and be made of record therein.

Six of the enclosed references were cited in an International Search Report dated August 29, 2000 (copy enclosed) from the Japanese Patent Office concerning counterpart International Application No. PCT/JP00/03581. The three remaining references are cited and discussed at pages 2-3 of the Specification.

Independent consideration and acknowledgment of the enclosed reference(s) are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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